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NOTES/COMMENTS:

Dear Examiner Patel,

Would you kindly confirm that the claim amendments in attached Proposed Amendment D are sufficient to obtain allowance of all of the claims in the application? I can be reached at 520-882-7623. I appreciate your assistance and look forward to hearing from you soon.

Best regards,

Kevin M. Drucker

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PROPOSED AMENDMENT D -- FOR DISCUSSION ONLY

Dear Sir:

This Amendment is being filed in response to the Official Action mailed October 5, 2004.

Please amend the Application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this Amendment.

Remarks begin on page 23 of this Amendment.

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